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E.O. 11652: N/A DECONTROL UPON RECEIPT
TAGS: PINT, SREF, TH, VS
SUBJECT: REFUGEE BOAT REPORTEDLY HEADING FOR U.S. TERRITORY

AMERICAN JOURNALIST INFORMED EMBASSY DECEMBER 23 THAT A LOCAL
SOURCE IN NARATHIWAT, SOUTHERNMOST THAILAND, INFORMED HIM
THAT BOATLOAD OF 8 VIETNAMESE REFUGEES, HEADED BY AIR FORCE
LT. HOANG SI THANH AND INCLUDING AN EIGHT MONTH OLD BABY,
ARRIVED AT THAT LOCATION AT 0700 SAME DAY AFTER HAVING BEEN
REFUSED ENTRY IN MALAYSIA. LOCAL THAI AUTHORITIES INFORMED
THEM THAT THEY COULD NOT REMAIN THERE, SO THEY TOOK ON
PROVISIONS AND ANNOUNCED THEY WOULD HEAD FOR THE U.S.,
PASSING BY MALAYSIA, SINGAPORE, AND GUAM. BOAT DEPARTED
NARATHIWAT AT 1000.
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